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Judgment of the General Court of 7 September 2022 — Greece v Commission

(Case T-217/20) (1)

(EAGF and EAFRD — Expenditure excluded from financing — Expenditure incurred by Greece — Rural Development — Key controls — Flat-rate financial corrections — Obligation to state reasons — Protection of legitimate expectations — Legal certainty — Proportionality — Principle of sound administration)

(2022/C 418/21)

Language of the case: Greek

Parties

Applicant: Hellenic Republic (represented by: E. Tsaousi, A.-E. Vasilopoulou and E.-E. Krompa, Agents)

Defendant: European Commission (represented by: M. Konstantinidis, J. Aquilina and M. Kaduczak, Agents)

Re:

By its action based on Article 263 TFEU, the Hellenic Republic seeks the partial annulment of the Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/201 of 12 February 2020 excluding from European Union financing certain expenditure incurred by the Member States under the European Agricultural Guarantee Fund (EAGF) and under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) (OJ 2020 L 42, p. 17).

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. Dismisses the action;

2. Orders the Hellenic Republic to pay the costs.

(¹) OJ C 222, 6.7.2020.

Judgment of the General Court of 7 September 2022 - DD v FRA

(Case T-470/20) (1)

(Civil service — Temporary staff — Disciplinary regime — Removal from post — Opening of an administrative investigation — Initiation of disciplinary proceedings — Requirement for impartiality — Error of law — Manifest error of assessment — Articles 11, 12 and 21 of the Staff Regulations — Duty of loyalty — Legal certainty — Freedom of expression — Article 11 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights — Principle of sound administration — Duty of care — Presumption of innocence — Right to be heard — Reasonable period of time — Proportionality of the sanction)

(2022/C 418/22)

Language of the case: English

Parties

Applicant: DD (represented by: L. Levi, lawyer)

Defendant: European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (represented by: M. O'Flaherty, acting as Agent, and by B. Wägenbaur, lawyer)